Interview Summary	Application No. 10/522,136	Applicant(s) PENNINGTON, AIDAN CHARLES
	Examiner Brooke J. Dews	Art Unit 2182

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) _Brooke J. Dews_.

(3) _Alford Kindred_.

(2) _Rochelle Liberman_.

(4) _____.

Date of Interview: _06 November 2007_.

Type: a)☐ Telephonic   b)☐ Video Conference
c)☒ Personal [copy given to: 1)☐ applicant   2)☒ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d)☐ Yes   e)☒ No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: _11_.

Identification of prior art discussed: _Dave Tang, Gadzoox Microsystems "Storage Area Network"_.

Agreement with respect to the claims f)☐ was reached.   g)☐ was not reached.   h)☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: _Discussed the need for an indication of the message queue location, requirements of more than one server in the SAN, and conveyed the benefits of having data centrally stored in SAN controller._.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

ALFORD KINDRED
SUPERVISORY PATENT EXAMINER

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.

Examiner's signature, if required